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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)**

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**James William Rogers**

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**1618**

Invention:

Coatings for Implantable Devices Comprising Polymers of Lactic Acid and Methods for Fabricating the Same

**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Examiner Rogers:

This is a Response to the Office Action dated March 26, 2007, which has a shortened statutory period for reply that ends on June 26, 2007.

A Terminal Disclaimer is filed herewith.